## **CLAIMS**

## I claim:

- 1. A system for partitioning space comprising:
  a plurality of first members having a first and a second end and a plurality of surfaces, said
  first members being interlocked with at least one mortise and tenon joint; and
  an assembly of said first members into a second member capable of receiving at least one
  planar panel having a plurality of edges.
- 2. The system of claim 1 further comprising at least two said second members wherein said second members can receive different edges of one said panel.
- 3. The system of claim 1 wherein said mortise and tenon joint is a dovetail joint.
- 4. The system of claim 1 wherein at least one of said second members is non-planar.
- 5. The system of claim 1 wherein at least one of said panels is non-planar.
- 6. The system of claim 1 wherein at least one said first member has at least one end terminated with at least one ornamentation.
- 7. The system of claim 1 wherein at least one said first member has at least one end terminated with at least one functional accessory.
- 8. The system of claim 1 wherein at least one said panel contains conduit.
- 9. The system of claim 1 wherein at least one said first member contains conduit.
- 10. The system of claim 1 wherein at least one said second member contains conduit.
- 11. A mortise comprised of two separate members configured to receive a tenon, said mortise capable of capturing said tenon when said members are pushed together.

12.	The apparatus of claim 11 wherein said mortise is a female dovetail slot and said
	tenon is a male dovetail.